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## THE SKIRT WE WIND.

If you and I, to-day  
Should stop and lay  
Our handwork down, and let our hand fall where  
they will—  
Fall down to the quite still—  
And if some other hand should come and stoop  
to find  
The threads we carried, so that it should wind,  
Beginning where we stopped; if it should come  
to keep  
Our handwork going, seek  
To carry on the good design,  
Distinctively made yours or mine,  
What would it find?Some work we must be doing, true or false;  
Some thread we wind; some purpose so exalts  
Husht that we look up to it, or down,  
As to a crown  
To bow before, and we weave threads  
Of different length and thickness—some mere  
shreds—  
And what then round  
Till the skein of life is bound,  
Sometimes forgetting at the time  
To ask  
The value of the threads, or choose  
Strong stuff to use.No hand but winds some thread;  
It cannot stand quite still till it is dead,  
But what it spins an' winds a little skein,  
God made each hand for work—not to stand  
In idleness but every hand  
Shines, though but ropes of sand.  
If love should come,  
Sweeping above when we are done,  
To bind bright threads  
That we have held, that it may spin them longer  
—And but shreds  
That break when touched—how cold,  
Sad, stivering, portionless, the hand will hold  
The broken strands, and know  
Fresh cause for more.  
—Hawkeye.

## How One Wife Managed.

BY DR. DIO LEWIS.

Deacon M., a rich, respectable man  
of 66, married for his third wife, Katie  
C., a pretty sewing-girl of 22.Some weeks before the wedding,  
Katie, who had been my patient, came  
to ask my advice about her marriage,  
though, as she afterward confessed,  
she was already engaged. I frankly  
advised against the match, spoke of the  
Deacon's daughter's older than herself,  
and urged his well-known penurious-  
ness. But Katie was poor; the Deacon  
was rich, had a fine house, kept a car-  
riage, and was the most considerable  
person in the neighborhood. They  
were married. The neighbors congrat-  
ulated her.About two years after the wedding,  
Katie asked me, in a little note, to  
call, and mentioned that she wished to  
see me confidentially. She was not  
very sick, but wanted to ask my advice  
about her troubles.With much sobbing she told me that  
after being very kind for some months,  
the Deacon had joined his daughters  
against her. I tried to comfort her,  
urging that in every position in life  
there were trials which we must bear  
with Christian patience."But," said she, "I need clothing,  
and have often spoken of it, but he al-  
ways tells me of what the Apostle said  
about braided hair and gold, and pearls,  
and costly array."Fearing a bitter quarrel, perhaps a  
separation, and thinking I might assist  
in preventing it, I encouraged Katie to  
confide in me, and begged her to keep  
her troubles from all the world beside.  
She remained "sick" a week, that she  
might have some one to talk to and cry  
to. She finally said: "I suppose even  
you think I am too fond of dress, and  
that the Deacon is right when he lect-  
ures me against the vanities of this  
world. When I was married I had only  
three good dresses. Our Irish servant  
has a better wardrobe than I ever  
had."Katie's mind dwelt so much upon  
dress, that I thought it best to learn  
the facts. [She at length convinced me  
that the Deacon's refusal was a piece of  
his characteristic meanness. After a  
good deal of thought I reached the  
conclusion for the 1,000th time, that a  
wife has rights which the husband is  
bound to respect. I advised a plain,  
frank talk with the Deacon. The next  
day she told me that he had said she  
would better wait till he had paid the  
doctor's bill, before she talked about  
dress.It was clear that between the father  
and the daughters this poor child was  
sure to be crushed.At length a plan of escape occurred  
to me. Katie could run a sewing ma-  
chine. I took good Mrs. G. into my  
confidence, and then said to Katie:"Earn money with your sewing ma-  
chine, and buy a dress, Mrs. G. is my  
friend. She is a prudent woman and  
will furnish the sewing."Having a motive for getting well,  
Katie was up the next day. I dropped  
in several times and found my patient  
getting on famously.At length a resplendent silk appeared  
in the Deacon's pew. The sister's were  
astonished, and after the "ninthly" had  
been safely passed, they divided their  
time between the shining path to glory  
of which the good man was speaking,  
and the shining gown in the Deacon's  
pew.The Deacon was puzzled! Here was  
the new dress which he had refused tobuy. How did she get it? He was  
ashamed to ask. Katie said nothing.  
The daughters interrogated the dress-  
maker. She said the silk came, she  
made the dress; the Deacon's wife had  
paid for it; she presumed the Deacon  
furnished the money; he certainly was  
rich enough. The merchant was  
quizzed. The young wife had paid  
him for the silk and trimmings. That  
was all he knew. There were only  
three of us who knew where the money  
came from. The Deacon and his  
daughters were not likely to find out  
about it until we chose to divulge.In another month a pretty hat was  
added to the young wife's wardrobe,  
while the gorgeous silk shone on in all  
its glory, mocking alike the curiosity  
of her family, and the ambition of the  
sisterhood."And now for pity's sake,  
where did the vain, silly thing get  
that ridiculous hat? I wonder if she  
has forgotten that she is a deacon's  
wife?"Various articles of clothing appeared  
from time to time, and we were develop-  
ing our "little game." Katie knew  
nothing of our ulterior purpose. We  
did not dare give her the least hint of  
it; it would have frightened her. She  
went on for months earning money with  
her sewing machine, and buying coveted  
articles of dress and ornament. Of  
course it was very silly, but the poor  
child was not a bit of a deaconess. She  
had joined her husband's church, but  
the work of grace did not go deep  
enough to touch the love of French  
flowers.After a time Mrs. G. whispered to a  
gossiping neighbor. Everybody in  
town, except the Deacon and his daugh-  
ters, knew the whole affair within  
twenty-four hours. Soon the Deacon  
received an anonymous letter, saying:"You are disgraced. Your wife is  
sewing to earn money to buy clothes.  
The whole neighborhood is sneering at  
you."The Deacon went straight at his  
young wife."Where did you get the money to buy  
your new clothes?"

"I earned it by sewing!"

"Who have you been sewing for?"

"I cannot tell you!"

"But I must know, and I will know!"

"If you ever find it out, it will be  
through somebody besides me. I  
won't tell to save my life!""But do you know what you are do-  
ing? Does not the Bible command  
wives to obey their husbands? You  
will be sorry for this.""That is possible; but my mind is  
made up!""But my dear Katie, if you wanted  
money to buy clothes, why did you not  
come to me? You know if you need  
money, all you have to do is to come  
right to me. I would not have had you  
do this thing for \$10,000. The  
world's people will never stop talking  
about it.""I am surprised," said Katie. "You  
can't have forgotten that I have asked  
you again and again for money to buy  
clothing, and you have not given me a  
dollar since we were married." With  
mingled anger and shame, the Deacon  
exclaimed:"Well, now I want you to understand  
that if you need any money you must  
come right to me. This scandal, which  
is sure to spread all over town is a  
burning shame. I can't see what you  
were thinking about. It will be an  
eternal disgrace to us all. The girls  
won't dare hold up their heads. My  
wife taking in sewing! Pretty story!  
I had rather have given you a satin  
dress every day in the year than to have  
had you done this thing! Why in the  
world didn't you tell me you wanted  
some money? I would have given you  
\$10,000 any day.""Why, Deacon, what makes you say  
that? Don't you remember that day  
when the dressmaker was here making  
dresses for the girls, I begged for a  
dress, and at last was foolish enough to  
cry about it, and you pushed me away,  
and said you didn't think you had mar-  
ried a cry-baby. That is the last time  
I ever asked you for money. I fear I  
am not as useful as you expected, and I  
don't see why I may not earn the little  
money I need. I am sure I don't want  
to be a burden to you.""Katie, don't talk in that way. Why,  
the world's people will never stop pok-  
ing at me. My wife taking in sewing!  
Don't that sound nice?""Then why won't you set apart what-  
ever you think is necessary for my  
clothing? If you will give me an al-  
lowance, as you do the girls, I will be  
very thankful. You know what you  
give them. If you want me to dress as  
well as they do, and you will allow me  
the same, it shall not be wasted!""Would it not be better, Katie, to  
look upon our purse as belonging to  
both of us alike, and whenever you  
want anything you go to it the same as  
I do. I am sure a man's wife has just  
as good rights as the man himself!"Katie, she'll we leave it just as it is,  
and you spend whatever you please!""Of course, Deacon, I shall have to  
do just as you think best, but I ought  
to be honest, and tell you that I think  
it would be better to arrange a definite  
sum, and then I shall not be obliged to  
lie awake thinking about it.""Well," said the Deacon, "I will tell  
you what we will do. I will hand you  
\$10 dollars every three months, which  
you must use for pin money, and when  
you want to buy a dress, or any other  
such large thing, come right to me."Katie made one more effort. "Deacon,  
I am sorry you can't see it as I do.  
I shall use all the money you may give  
me in a very prudent way, but if there  
is less than I need, I shall earn it with  
my own hands. I will not beg again  
as long as I live." This was exactly  
what she had promised to say."Well," angrily interrupted the Deacon,  
"as I am dealing with a Jew, I  
must come down. Madam, what are  
your terms?""I have no terms; I only want a  
small amount of money to buy a few  
garments. I will not humiliate myself  
by begging for it. If you will arrange to  
furnish me with it, I shall be grate-  
ful, and give you in return all there is  
of me. If you do not give me the  
money when I need it, I shall work for  
it. If there is any extra work in your  
family which I can do for pay, I shall  
prefer to work for you; but if not, I  
shall, with every precaution to save  
your feelings, ask for work outside.""Madam, will you be kind enough to  
mention your terms?""If you will give me \$200 a year, and  
will be kind enough to let me have a  
quarter of it every three months, I will  
make it pay for my clothing. You give  
each of your daughters \$300, but I  
will make \$200 go, and I will never ask  
for more. If you will be so good as to  
allow me this sum, it will relieve me of  
a great trouble.""Let it be so," angrily exclaimed the  
Deacon.As he went out, he muttered to him-  
self, "My wife taking in sewing! The  
world's people will never stop sneering  
at me. Taking in sewing! Pretty  
story! Never can tell what a woman  
will do! Most unreasonable creatures  
in the world! Taking in sewing!  
Wouldn't it happen for \$10,000! The  
world's people will never stop  
laughing about it."With persons in comfortable circum-  
stances this is a good and wise expe-  
dient. Most happily I have known it  
to work in a number of cases. It has  
many advantages; it is honest, convinc-  
ing and effective. It challenges the  
respect of the husband, and if done in  
a gentle spirit awakens his sympathy  
and sense of justice. With a little pa-  
tience I think it will prove uniformly  
successful.Most husbands will indignantly de-  
nounce all such interference with the  
management of their families. If a  
husband goes astray, nine men in ten  
are furious at the tale-bearer who com-  
municates with the wife; but let the  
wife go astray, how full of sympathy  
and help for the wronged husband these  
same nine men are.Gentlemen, fellow-husbands, has not  
this animal, brutal selfishness gone  
about far enough? Has not the time  
come, in the race of life, to remove all  
obstacles from the pathway of those  
whom we call "the weaker vessels"? If  
either of us must be handicapped,  
which do you, brave men, say it shall  
be?—Dio Lewis' Monthly.

## A BOY BORN MAD.

There is a clever, worthy family fir-  
ing in Guilford county, near Gibson,  
N. C., who are afflicted with a son  
and from his birth. And yet, as if the  
most beautiful feature with which the  
God parent endows his creature man,  
he family are devoted to that unfortu-  
nate son. They keep him shut up, but  
sent him as kindly and tenderly as if  
he was a blessing in their midst. The  
lad is now 12 years old, well-grown and  
developed, and nearly as strong as a  
man. If he sees a stranger he at-  
taches out his neck, and approaches,  
ringing his hands and running his  
tongue out like a snake. He will shine  
his eye at you and take it off as quick  
as a bird. He has a great desire to  
play with horses. His rage is almost  
unmanageable, but the home people  
seem to have control of him. Any-  
thing pretty shaken before his eyes will  
keep him in his wildest rage. And  
his boy is growing and strengthening  
into manhood, and the dark cloud be-  
hind his eyes is getting blacker and  
black.A STATISTICAL comparison, showing  
the relative extent to which various na-  
tions are addicted to the use of tobacco,  
gives proportions as follows: For  
Austria, 1; France and Russia, 5; for  
Belgium, 10; for Cuba, 11; for Austria, 14;  
for Germany and North America, 15;  
for the United States, 24; and for Holland, 28.

## AN UNWED IRISHMAN.

In the stories told of Kings traveling  
in disguise, the humble peasants who  
discover them, are always overwhelmed  
with surprise and reverence, to find  
themselves in the presence of royalty.  
An Irishman, however, would not be  
affected in that way. His lack of rever-  
ence or his wit would save him from  
fear or confusion. An amusing anec-  
dote is told of an Irishman who was  
caught disobeying orders, whose im-  
pudence and wit saved him from a  
reprimand, and possibly more serious  
consequences:The Superintendent of a New En-  
gland railroad, soon after he had en-  
tered upon his duties, set out one day  
to walk up the track of the road on a  
tour of inspection. Just outside the  
city he met an Irishman at work on the  
track."Good-morning, sir," said the Super-  
intendent. "Got a good job?""Faith! it's small pay I get, it is in-  
dubitable; and it's mighty lonesome work-  
ing, and it's no more but me pipe. No,  
sirr, it's not a good job at all, at all.""Isn't it? Well, let's see, aren't  
you breaking one of the company's  
rules?"

"An' what is that, now?"

"Why, hasn't the new Superintend-  
ent made a rule that any workman  
found smoking while on duty shall at  
once be discharged?""Faith! an' it le harm will it do for  
a poor feller to smoke his pipe while  
he's trampin' ties. Where's the blame,  
agorra? An' who'd be after tellin'  
the Superintendent? He'll never hear  
of it at all, I'll warrant ye!""Don't be so sure of that, my friend.  
I happen to be the new Superintendent  
myself."The Irishman looked sharply at the  
superior for a moment, then, without re-  
moving the pipe from his mouth, saying,  
with an air of indifference—"Well, sir, an' ye've a mighty fine  
job, anyhow, if yer only smart enough  
to say so!"The Superintendent was obliged to  
laugh, and went his way, leaving the  
man to smoke his pipe in peace.

## AFTER DEATH.

In the philosophical collections of  
Lutheus there is an account of a  
woman buried at Nuremberg whose  
grave, being opened forty-three years  
after her death, hair was found issuing  
through the clefts of the coffin. When  
the cover was removed the whole shape  
of the coffin was visible, but was cov-  
ered from the crown of the head to the  
sole of the foot with thick-set hair,  
long and curled. The sexton was at-  
tached to handle the head when the  
whole fell apart at once and nothing  
remained but a handful of hair. There  
was neither skull nor any other bone  
left, yet the hair was solid and strong.  
Mr. Arnold relates the case of a man  
who was hanged on the gallows for a  
petty theft, as was formerly the custom  
in England, whose body was covered  
with growing hair before it was cut  
down from the gallows.

## DIAMONDS.

A large proportion of the diamonds  
which have constituted the stock of  
trade since 1870 have come from South  
Africa. Brazil and Ceylon supply  
limited quantities of extremely fine  
stones. The South African yield is not  
confined, according to general impres-  
sion, to medium and low grades. The  
product of the Kimberly mines, which  
occupy one and a quarter square miles,  
with those of neighboring mines, are  
worked by a number of companies with  
an aggregate capital of \$32,000,000,  
controlled by London, French and  
Dutch syndicates, whose buyers are on  
the spot, and whose prices at time,  
greatly differ. They are always ready  
to make advances when mines are work-  
ing at a loss, or to place goods on the  
market which they have not succeeded  
in buying up, securing themselves by a  
broad margin on the sums advanced.  
Fine qualities of diamonds, those which  
are not off color, and in other respects  
all but perfect, are getting scarcer, par-  
ticularly blue-white. The preference  
of the wealthy in Europe for fancy  
stones—such as rubies, sapphires,  
emeralds, cats'-eyes—give signs of  
being followed in this country.

## AN ARTIST'S REWARD.

In 1844 the spirited painting "The  
Battle of Neupert," made for King  
Wilhelm II. of Holland, was carried to  
the Palace of the Hague as the King  
had ordered. The next morning M. De  
Kesser, the artist, was invited to come  
to the King. When he entered the  
room where the picture was hanging  
the King was standing before the  
picture in the act of fastening upon its  
frame the cross of the Lion of the  
Netherlands, attached to a coat of arms  
in a handsome setting."I like to decorate upon the very  
field of battle," said the King, at the  
same time ordering "The Battle of  
Soer."—Mrs. T. B. Gustafson, in  
Harpers.

## PLEASANTRIES.

A QUESTION of voracity—How much  
can you eat?  
THE musician, like the cook, makes  
his bread out of his do.BREACHES of promise—Those your  
tailor don't bring home.  
FOR good board apply at any saw-  
mill, and for plaine board go to any  
carpenter-shop."It's about spring time," bawled  
the bullfrog, as he leaped in a pond  
to avoid a whizzing stone.A MEXICAN woman describes her  
missing husband as possessing a "stir-  
pork complexion." Perhaps he is the  
original "ham-fat actor."TRUTH and sugar can be crushed.  
But truth crushed will again come to  
the surface, but poor sugar loses its  
grip.—Carl Pretezel's Weekly.A YOUNG lady being told at a fire to  
stand back or else the hose would be  
turned on her, replied: "Oh, I don't  
care; they are striped on both sides,  
anyway."FATHER to his little son (who has just  
handed him the teacher's report of pro-  
gress and conduct for the last month):  
—"This report is very unsatisfactory; I'm  
not at all pleased with it." Little son:  
I told the teacher that I thought you  
wouldn't be, but he wouldn't change it."A DUDE meets a Judipe on the street-  
cars. She—"Why did you not come up  
to ow house las' night? We looked for  
you." He—"Yaas; could not get up  
tali. Had 'nother engagement. Me  
mother's dead. Thought I ought to go  
up to ow houth!"—New York Morning  
Journal.A STRICT constructionist: "I say  
there," exclaimed a policeman, point-  
ing to a placard on the wall, "don't you  
see that notice, 'No looting about this  
station?' " "Yes," replied the itinerant,  
"and as soon as I found out you didn't  
allow a fellow to loaf about the place,  
I came inside, to do my loafing here."

## FOR SPRING POETS.

If I knew a poet that sang of spring  
(Says I to myself, says I,  
I'd grab his muse and I'd break her wing,  
(Says I to myself, says I,  
I'd chain him down to a spike in the floor,  
Make him sing his words through a hole in the  
door,  
Till he'd swear to sing of spring no more.  
(Says I to myself, says I,  
—Williamsport Breakfast Table.A CANDIDATE for Congress met Uncle  
Mose in Louisville, and said to him:  
"Be sure and come to the ward meet-  
ing to-night, and bring your neighbors  
with you." "You kin jest bet they will  
come along wid me, or I stay at home  
myself. Dar wouldn't be a chicken left  
in my coop if I was to go to der ward-  
meetin' and luff dem nabors at home."

## KATIE'S REPLY.

Och, Katie's a rogue, it is true,  
But her eyes, like the sky, are so blue,  
An' her dimples so sweet,  
An' her figure so neat,  
She dazels, and she bothers me too—  
Till one mornin' we wait for a ride,  
Whin, demure as a bride, by my side,  
The darlin', she sat,  
With the wickedest hat,  
"Neath purty girls, him I've tried,  
An' I said, 'If I dared to do so,  
I'd let you grab the basket, and I'd throw  
Both arms round your waist,  
An' be stalin' a taste  
Ov thim lips that are coaxin' me so."  
Then she blushed a more fragrant red,  
As she said, without a word to her head,  
"An' her eyes lookin' down,  
"Neath her lashes so brown,  
"Would ye like me to thrive, Mother Ted?"

## CHURCH-GOING.

Church-going in the United States is  
not diminishing, it is increasing—in  
what ratio to the increase of population  
can only, at present, be a matter of  
estimate. The public religious services  
of the church have never been so numer-  
ously attended as now, nor by so large  
a proportion of intelligent and respec-  
table people. And the most striking  
religious phenomenon of the age—the  
rise of the children's church—makes  
it certain that religious instruction and  
worship are more universal among us  
than ever before.—Rev. Dr. Pullman,  
of New York.

## HE TAKES THE OATH.

"Drop dat watermillion, I jeeems,  
drop dat million. Don't ye know dat  
de cholery is in Europe?"  
"No, is dat a fact?"  
"An' it's goin' to come here."  
"Is dat so?""It is fur a fac, an' watermillions am  
de wussset kind ob fruit to bring on de  
cholery. Han' dat million ober heah,  
I see done had de cholery wunst, an' I  
ain't afeard.""Does folks hab de cholery often?"  
"Nebber but wunst, nebber but  
wunst. When it strikes a nigger he's  
mosly done dead de fast ob tix.""Don't it kill dem as don't eat water-  
millions?"  
"Yes, it do, but it's wussset on dem as  
eats de fruit. If ye hab de watermil-  
lion habit ye stan' ten to one to die."  
"Well, Uncle Mose, I see male up  
my mind ter take de odds.—Texas  
Siftings.Might not the Keely motor be termed  
a stationary engine?



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Election November 4th.

"Monroe Doctrine."

"The American continents, by the free and independent condition which they have assumed and maintain, are not to be considered as subjects for colonization by European powers. . . . We should consider any attempt on their part to extend their system to any portion of this hemisphere as dangerous to our peace and safety, and while no objection is made to any existing colony or dependency of theirs, yet any further intrusion or interference would be regarded as the manifestation of an unfriendly spirit toward the United States."

Democrats claim New York for Cleveland because he was elected Governor by 200,000 majority. His vote was only 747 more than Hancock when Garfield's majority was 21,033. It must be cold comfort for the Democracy to know that it was an off-year, and the Republican vote was 115,000 less than Garfield's.

It having been intimated that a portion of Blaine's foreign policy, if elected, is to be the purchase of Cuba, the Spanish Government is taking preliminary measures for its sale.

On Saturday last a boat was run down by the steamer Solano, and James Fox, E. Rouleau, Con. Sweeney and Con. Brozman were drowned. They were repairing the telephone between Benicia and Port Costa.

Ex-Confederate companies are to visit New York on the 8th inst. They will have a grand reception and it is expected that Arthur and Frelinghuysen will be there.

The Prohibition National Convention is to be held at Pittsburgh this month. It will probably nominate Jideon T. Stewart for President.

The Irish-Americans of San Francisco, telegraphed their congratulations to Gladstone upon the passage of the franchise bill.

The naval court-martial having acquitted Lieutenant E. A. Field of drunkenness, Secretary Chandler has written a scathing letter to each of its members.

It is reported that Conkling will not participate in the canvass.

Congress is to investigate the Alaska Seal Company.

Eli H. Murray has been confirmed as Governor of Utah.

Ex-Governor Kincaid, of Nevada, has been appointed Governor of Alaska.

The Indian War Veterans, of Oregon, have organized an association.

The Democracy are loath to give up Tilden, and will not, if he will accept the nomination.

The Irish Land Commission has reduced the rents of the peasantry this year to the amount of \$15,000,000.

Every paper opposed to Blaine is a free trader—the love of British free trade overshadows patriotism.

Dear can be killed, the close season having expired on the 1st inst.

Inyo county has a horned fish with tail and rattle like a rattlesnake.

It is claimed that Blaine will capture Virginia.

On Sunday Wm. Emerich, an old resident of Eureka, Nev., suicided.

## NEW TO-DAY.

For Coroner and Public Administrator.  
**O. F. STORBRIDGE.**

Subject to the decision of the Republican Central Convention.

## THE "RELIABLE MINING EDITOR."

We like to remark, that the coming of Mr. Pike to this country, is a "puff" from a "reliable mining editor," a "reliable mining journal," like the Bodie Free Press, or the Bodie Index. Bro. Ginn neglected to inform the public as to the price paid by Pike for those several "puffs," and whether he received the collateral, or the Free Press folks captured it. Mining men would like to know the tariff on such puffs. After the above confession, the editorials on the mines of this country that may appear in the Free Press and Index will have to be taken with a little salt—they will be too free.

The Democratic National Convention meets at Chicago on Tuesday next.

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This has not been written in the interest  
of F. W. Pike, with whom we have

but a passing acquaintance, but we want  
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## LEGAL.

### SUMMONS.

IN THE JUSTICE COURT OF BRIDGE-  
PORT, County of Mono, State of California.  
F. F. HARRIS, Plaintiff, vs. SIDNEY HUNTON,  
Defendant.

The People of the State of California send  
Greeting to Sidney Hunton, Defendant.

You are hereby required to appear in an ac-  
tion brought against you by the above named  
Plaintiff, in the Justice Court of Bridgeport,  
Township of Mono, County of Mono, State of California,  
and to answer before the Justice at his office,  
in said Township, the complaint filed  
therein, within five days (exclusive of the day  
of service) after the service on you of this sum-  
mons, or within the time specified in the  
complaint, or within ten days, or within  
ten days if served elsewhere.

The said action is brought to recover of you  
the sum of One hundred and ninety-three and  
no/100 dollars (\$193.00) alleged by said Plaintiff  
to be due him by you for goods, wares, and mer-  
chandise, sold and delivered by you at your special  
instance and request by Plaintiff between  
the date of January 1st, 1883 and November  
20th, 1883.

All of which more fully appears by plain-  
tiff's complaint on file in this case, and to  
which complaint reference is hereby made, and  
you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear  
and answer said complaint, as above  
required, said Plaintiff will take judgment  
against you for said sum of \$193.00 principal  
and interest, together with costs.

Wake legal service and due return hereof.  
Given under my hand this 30th day of May,  
1884.  
J. H. H. HARRIS, Plaintiff.

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# THE UNION.

BRIDGEPORT, JULY 5, 1884.

## LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

**PERSONAL.**—Judge Briggs will return from Jackson next week. While visiting his family he occasionally presided in the Superior Court of Amador county.

J. H. Vincent made a flying trip from Bodie on Tuesday with Fairfield.

William Badley and Wood Larson have been up from Antelope with new potatoes, and other garden "sass."

T. B. Ricker, of Antelope, came down from Bodie on Sunday and returned home on Monday.

David Hays and family went to Antelope Valley on Thursday for a few days pleasure.

Sheriff McKinney and family, Deputy County Clerk McKinnon and wife, Miss Minnie McKinnon, Mrs. A. H. Allen, Misses Belle and Julia Allen, Mrs. W. A. Wilcox, Judge Murphy, John and Lew. Murphy and R. M. Folger, spent the Fourth at Bodie.

Miss Lu. Pratt spent the Fourth at Lundy.

Miss Mollie McKillip went to Bodie yesterday to attend the ball.

H. N. H. Brown, Wells, Fargo & Co's. agent at Lundy, and who was snowbound all of last winter at Bridgeport, where he made a regiment of "warm friends," has returned from a visit to his old New Hampshire home, and is again at his Lundy home, where he was warmly welcomed.

R. S. Miner, who is at Independence, Inyo county, as attorney in an important mining suit, is expected home next week.

**TEXT BOOKS.**—The Board of Education closed its labors over the text book matter on Saturday last. With few exceptions the books in use were retained. Bancroft's new series of Readers—five in number, were adopted in the place of the Pacific Coast Readers, and Thompson's two-book series of Arithmetic in place of Robinson's. We consider the change of the Readers a judicious one. Bancroft's new series were carefully edited by our best educators, are handsomely gotten up, finely illustrated, water-proof bound, and are furnished at a lower price than the Eastern readers in competition were offered at. And, again, they are a California publication, which, all things being equal, should have the preference among our people. Of the Arithmetic adopted, we know nothing, but as it was selected on the recommendation of Mrs. Butler we take it for granted it is a good one.

**DISAPPOINTED.**—The Indians were greatly disappointed yesterday on account of our citizens not observing the Day with the usual barbecue—the La-familia always coming in for the remnants of the feast. At an early hour in the morning they poured into town on horse and on foot, the nobleman on horse and the gentler sex mostly footing it, although a few were favored with a ride. A delegation of Washoes came up from Antelope Valley, and as they had to foot it some 36 miles, they were the most disgusted ones, and returned home in the afternoon with the consoling information that there will be a "big eat" on next Fourth of July.

**A CONUNDRUM.**—Under the caption of "A Demand," the Bodie Fry Press propounds the following easy conundrum: "For some reason there is an unusual demand for the Free Press. Besides orders that exhaust the extra supply at the office, copies delivered at different business places for the benefit of customers are appropriated before they are three hours old. It would be well to nail 'em down or order extra numbers from the carrier." The Summer complaint is epidemic in Bodie. One dose of "California Tea, put up by F. Hanson & Co., Bridgeport, Mono county, California," will check both the disease and the "unusual demand for the Free Press."

**THE FOURTH.**—Yesterday was the dull-gest Fourth of July this town has experienced for the past twenty years, and the dull-gest generally, as everybody and his wife, children and neighbors left town the day before, or early yesterday to spend the Day elsewhere. The bulk of our people went to Twin Lakes picnicking, leaving a small Home Guard. In the evening there was a social dance at Bryant's Hall, and thus ended the Day.

**THE BODIE SCHOOL.**—The Bodie school will open on Monday next under the management of Edward L. Knowlton, Principal; Miss Naomi Angell, of the Intermediate; and Mrs. Nellie Summers, of the Primary. Mr. Knowlton is from Alameda, is highly recommended, and the Alameda papers favorably notice him.

**CLERK.**—Assessor McAlpin is closing his work for the year, and Deputy Wilcox has this week been as "Busy as Death," as Horace Greeley would put it, getting ready to hand the roll to the Auditor on Monday next, when the Board of Equalization meets to manipulate it.

**FOR CORNER.**—Under "New To Day" will be found the announcement of O. F. Strobridge as a candidate for Coroner and Public Administrator, subject to the action of the Republican County Convention. Mr. Strobridge is an old and well known citizen of Bridgeport.

**ASSESSMENT ROLL.**—The roll this year will exhibit a decrease from last year of from \$800,000 to \$1,000,000. This is attributable to the decrease of the Standard and other Bodie mines and property.

**DEEDS.**—There were 11 deeds—6 real estate and 5 mining, recorded in the office of the County Recorder during the month of June.

**LOVELY.**—The weather has been very fine, the days not too warm and the nights cool. Our moonlight evenings are greatly enjoyed.

**FILLED.**—Miss Angell, Superintendent of Schools, has appointed Mrs. F. Butler a member of the Board of Education, vice John Hancock, left the State.

**RELIGIOUS.**—Rev. J. H. De la Matyr will hold services in the School House at 11 o'clock to-morrow morning. All are invited to attend.

**MORTGAGES.**—There were 2 mortgages recorded and 6 canceled in the office of the County Recorder during the month of June.

**IN OFFICE.**—The recently elected School Trustees are bosses of the situation in their respective districts on and after to-day.

**A WARNING.**—Any one caught stealing stock in the vicinity of Bridgeport will be promptly lynched.

**GARDEN "SASS."**—This week our Antelope farmers have been regaling our people with green peas, new potatoes and turnips.

**BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.**—The Board of Supervisors will meet as a Board of Equalization on Monday next.

**CALENDAR.**—Judge Briggs will call the Superior Court Calendar on next Monday week.

**PIONEERS.**—The Pioneers will meet at this office on Monday evening next.

**THANKS.**—To Westwood & Truby for a fine string of Twin Lakes trout.

**PIONEER FLOUR** at David Hays & Bro.

**PATTERSON DISTRICT.**

The mines in the Patterson, or Sweetwater, District are looking better than at any time since they were discovered, and a stronger feeling of confidence in the future of this section of Mono county is existing among those most directly interested in the district. One mine, with but a little 5-stamp mill, has shipped upwards of \$200,000 within a year and a half, and yet comparatively little is known of this outside of the immediate vicinity, as the shipments have been made quietly, with no desire for publicity, but it will not be so in the future.

The lodes throughout the district are strong and well defined, and the ore free milling. The facilities for milling (wood, and water power) are unsurpassed by any mining camp east of the Sierras, and the district is now most in need of a little capital and more stamps.

A few of the most prominent mines are the Big Bonanza, Comstock (three), which are large and well-defined, with strong cropings, some 200 or 300 feet above the surface, good and free milling ore, Great Western, Kentucky (Summers Con.), Lady Hayes (thought, by many, to be the richest). Lookout, Poverty, Silverado, and a number of others equally as good.

The Summers Con. Mill is again making its regular weekly shipments of bullion. It started up this time on tailings, but it is now running on Kentucky ore, from which good returns may be looked for.

The Silverado is rich in black sulphurates, chloride, ruby and horn silver. The Eclipse Mill, a 5-stamper in course of erection in Cottonwood canyon by Bodie parties to work the Silverado ore, will be ready to commence crushing about the 20th. It will be a first-class mill, although small, and satisfactory results may be looked for from the ore.

The Good Templars of Clinton had a picnic yesterday, and last evening the Clinton Miners' Union gave a grand ball.

F. W. Smith is running a dairy on the Sweetwater and Bridgeport road between the bridge and toll-house, for Fredericks. The mountain fever is prevailing at Clinton.

The Dominion Cattle Company, of Canada, has leased 284,000 acres in Cherokee strip reservation at an annual rent of two cents per acre. Such work ought to open reservations to American settlers.

Lillie Hanson, a little girl, was killed by the overturning of a cart near Hayward a few days since.

To change our tariff to suit England would be like a man chopping his head off to cure the toothache.

Many Democrats are afraid they will have to swallow Butler, and a great many swear they will vote for Blaine first.

The Germans of Cincinnati are strong for Blaine.

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## MEXICAN LAW.

Regulations Touching Real Estate Dealings by Foreigners.

The following abstract of the laws of Mexico regarding the acquisition by foreigners of real estate in Mexico is given in the San Antonio Express, and was compiled by Senor Don Francisco Gomez de Palacio, a lawyer, and now Governor of the State of Durango:

1. Foreigners resident and domiciled in the republic of Mexico can acquire there every class of immovable property, including mines of every kind, under the same rights the civil law establishes for Mexicans.

The following are the exceptions to the rule: That to acquire lands situated within twenty leagues or less of any frontier of the republic a foreigner is required to obtain the permission of the President.

That no foreigner can acquire real property within five leagues or less of any seashore of the republic, not even with the permission of the President, unless under a special law giving him the privilege.

That no foreigner can locate any of the public lands of the nation, should he be a native or naturalized citizen of any country adjoining this republic, if such public lands are situated in any State or Territory bounded by that.

The foreigner shall lose his rights to real estate he may have acquired in the republic under the following circumstances:

By absenting himself from the country, with his family, for two years, without permission of the Government. Fines do not come under this rule. These we can hold even during his absence.

By residing outside of the republic, even although he should leave an attorney, or agent authorized to sign his name. As alone, mines are excepted from this rule.

By transfer of the property, by inheritance, sale, or any other title, to a person not residing in the republic, mines excepted.

In all of the above cases the property shall be sold, and the product of the sale delivered to the party holding the lands, with a deduction of 10 per cent. If land has been acquired by a location of public lands, which shall not amount to over 2,500 hectares to each locator, the right to same shall be forfeited by failing to maintain on it one inhabitant for each 200 hectares. Such default accruing by failure to maintain such inhabitant for four months in any place.

The consequences following the acquisition of real estate by a foreigner in the Mexican republic, are:

The obligation to be subject to existing laws, or such as may be established, regarding ownership, transmission, use and enjoyment of the property, and to submit to the decisions of the Mexican courts in everything that relates to it.

The duty to pay all taxes legitimately assessed on said property.

To contribute to his freedom and means toward the preservation of peace and order, in the place of his habitation, this not including the case of disturbances caused by political insurrections or civil war.

The status of a Mexican, which a foreigner assumes when he acquires real estate, shall not exist should he declare his wish to preserve his nationality.

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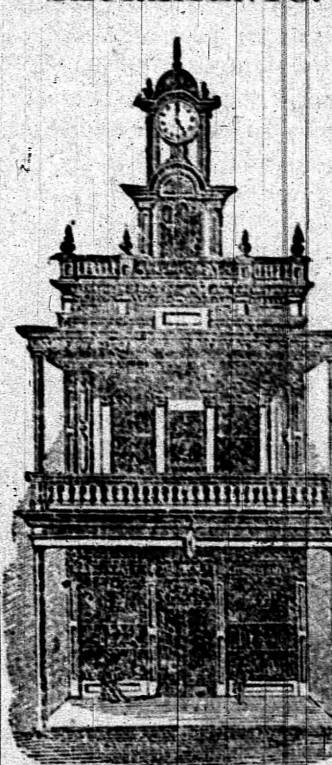
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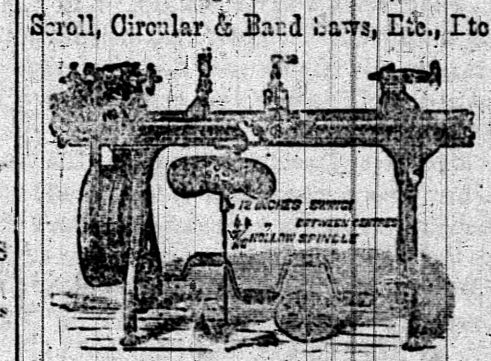
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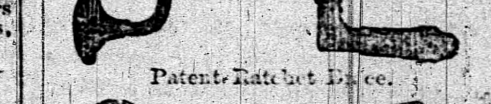
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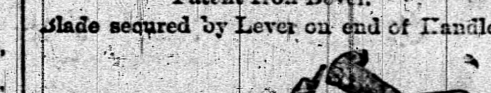
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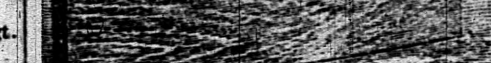
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## OUR JUVENILES.

## Archibald Stone's Mistake.

Archibald Stone is Archie's name,  
And Daisy Stone, that's Daisy;  
Mamma's and Papa's are just the same,  
And mine—why, I am Maisey.

Daisy and I are twins, you know,  
Eighty-eight years old;  
We are just alike from top to toe,  
And our hair is just like gold.

And Archie he is almost ten,  
And figures on a slate,  
But does not add up rightly when  
He says we are not eight.

For I have learned a little song—  
Its name is "Two Times Two";  
That's why I know that Archie's wrong,  
For twice the song is true.

Papa says not to worry more,  
Nor vex my little mate;  
But Daisy's four and I am four,  
And that makes us just eight.

—Emma C. Dodd, in St. Nicholas.

## The Boats the Gnats Build.

Did you ever hear about the wonder-  
ful boats the gnats build? They lay  
eggs in the water, and the eggs float  
until it is time for them to hatch. You  
can see these little eggs rafts on al-  
most any pool in summer.

The eggs are so heavy that one alone  
would sink. The cunning mother  
fastens them all together until they  
form a hollow boat. It will not upset,  
even if it is filled with water! The  
upper end of these eggs are pointed,  
and looks very much like a powder-  
flask.

One egg is glued to another, pointed  
end up, until the boat is finished. And  
how many eggs do you think it takes?  
From 250 to 300. When the young are  
hatched, they always come from the un-  
der side, leaving the empty boat afloat.

These eggs are very, very small.  
First they are white, then green, then a  
dark-gray. They swim just like little  
fishes, and hatch in two days. Then  
they change again to a kind of sheath.  
In another week this sheath bursts open  
and let out a winged mosquito. It is  
all ready for work. There are so many  
of them born in a summer, that were  
it not for the birds and large insects,  
we should be eaten up alive.—Our Lit-  
tle Ones.

## Style a Polite Science.

It is an open question whether fash-  
ion varieties are the results of caprices  
in the originators or a careful regard  
for the mean between the extremes of  
public opinion. There is much good  
reason for believing that style is really  
a polite science, an easily determining  
method of reaching into the mystery of  
society and analyzing the conditions of  
human nature. We take the position  
that style is not individual, but popular;  
that is to say, the fashionable differ-  
ences encountered in successive seasons  
are not the decrees of arbitrary auto-  
crats of the millinery and dress-devis-  
ing world, but are the products of a  
balancing of public opinion.

The history of the dress sustains this  
hypothesis, especially that portion of  
the history coincident with the freedom  
of newspaper utterance. The fantastic  
liberties taken in the making of fashion  
plates may seem to be the offspring of  
an erratic endeavor to strike a novelty,  
but it will be found, almost invariably,  
that the changes are due to criticism of  
already existing styles. There can be  
no more mistaken notion than the some-  
time complaint that women pay no at-  
tention to public opinion in matter of  
dress. Public opinion is their guard-  
ian.

The effect is not always instantane-  
ous, since in the very nature of things  
it cannot be. But it uniformly happens  
that where there is a unity of censure  
upon any form of dress, that form  
as speedily retires from elegant and re-  
fined adoption as is consistent with the  
understanding of a positive expression  
of opinion. It needs but a glance back  
over a few years to prove this.

What are we to conclude from the ex-  
perience of dress in its obedience to the  
dictatorship of change? It is not at-  
tached clear that the devotees of  
fashion are the capricious ones, with no  
settled ideas of what they want. Is it  
not, after all, public opinion that is so  
erratic and variable? Are not the news-  
paper critics, or censors of fashion di-  
rectly responsible for the multifarious  
attempts of the fashion-makers to in-  
vent something that will give delight to  
determined fault-finders?

The ladies show a most amiable readi-  
ness to adopt every new essay at grati-  
fying sense and taste. They put on loose  
or tight, short or long, decolette or  
high-necked dresses, as they come into  
supremacy, with the purpose of making  
themselves not only agreeable to sight  
but to avoid seeming to cling to gar-  
ments that have been decried by mascu-  
line malcontents. There is no tangible  
remedy against the misfortune of dress.  
It follows the wake of the general taste,  
and the general taste is supposed to  
represent the highest form accepted as  
excellence for the common good. It is  
not fair to assert that styles alone are  
whimsical, when their critics cannot be  
pleased because of finical notions.—

Correspondence Chicago Inter-Ocean.

## David Livingstone.

All honor to the boy who is not  
ashamed to work with his own hands,  
and that credit belongs to David Liv-

ingstone, afterwards famous as the mis-  
sionary traveler. Born in March, 1813,  
at Blantyre, Scotland, David did not  
come into the world with a silver spoon  
in his mouth, but an iron one, that was  
probably dipped into oat meal as often  
as any other food.

His parents were poor, but they gave  
him a good example, which is more of  
a gift than some people receive. The  
Livingstone children were taught to be  
honest, industrious and God-fearing.

A story told them was this, that one  
of their ancestors on his dying-bed  
called his sons about him and said:

"Now, in my life-time I have searched  
most carefully through all the traditions  
I could find of our family, and I never  
could discover that there was a dishon-  
est man among our forefathers. If,  
therefore, any of you, or of your chil-  
dren should take to dishonest ways, it  
will not be because it runs in our blood;  
it does not belong to you. I leave this  
precept with you: Be honest."

David was a lively lad, relishing fun,  
but relishing his books also. When 9  
years old he repeated the 119th psalm  
on two successive nights, and though  
that was a long hill to climb, his mem-  
ory stumbled only five times.

We can see where he may have ac-  
quired a love for adventure. When the  
stars in the winter sky flashed like  
bits of steel, a warm fire was glowing  
on the hearthstone of David's home.  
Seated before the fire, his grandfather  
would tell the young folks old Scottish  
stories of the brave Wallace, the reso-  
lute Bruce, and other heroes. The stars  
wouldn't look more icy, the winter  
winds roar louder, but within was that  
eagerly-listening group, while in the  
shadows, that the fire sent dancing  
across the wall, fancy might detect the  
form of "Black Douglas" and his war-  
riors moving out to the fight.

Grandmother Livingstone would  
sometimes sing old Highland ballads.  
The boy's imagination must have been  
stirred by these fireside songs and  
stories, and a love of adventure may  
have been stimulated.

It did not seem then as if this craving  
would ever be satisfied, for at the age  
of 10 he went to work in a cotton mill  
as a "piecer." His first week's work  
brought him sixty cents, and his mother  
permitted him to retain enough to buy  
a Latin grammar—ten cents a day! Poor  
picking on that bone! Doubtless  
David was happy, for the bone brought  
him a Latin grammar. From eight till  
ten he was at work, in an evening  
school, on his Latin.

"The dictionary part of my labors was  
followed up till twelve o'clock or later,  
if my mother did not interfere by jump-  
ing up and snatching the books out of  
my hands. I had to be back in the  
factory by six in the morning, and con-  
tinue my work, with intervals for break-  
fast and dinner, till eight o'clock at night.  
I read in this way many of the classical  
authors, and knew Virgil and Horace  
better at sixteen than I do now."

This was David's testimony. His  
father was a conscientious man, and  
thought that he must prove his love for  
his boy by warning him against scien-  
tific works and books of travel, which  
David says was his "special delight,"  
but, his father feared, were "inimical to  
religion," and he wanted to see David  
"pouring over the Cloud of Witnesses,"  
or Boston's Fourfold State."

Finally the anxious father took the  
stick to David, because he would not  
read "Wilberforce's Practical Christi-  
anity." That was using the rod of war  
to make the religion of peace accept-  
able.

But David's father was conscientious  
in all this. He believed that science  
was irreligious, but true science only  
brings men to their maker.

When a holiday came to David, he  
was off hunting up specimens of the  
stones and plants, and making investi-  
gations also in zoology.

David the piecer, at the age of  
nineteen was promoted to be David the  
spinner, describing himself as a "slim,  
loose-jointed lad."

From six in the morning till eight at  
night he attended a spinning-frame in  
the cotton mill. He received better  
pay, and he also found that he could get  
a chance to read in working hours.

His method was to secure his book to  
the spinning frame, and then catch the  
sentences as best he could. A spinning-  
frame in a cottonmill would not then  
run itself as now, so that David's atten-  
tion to his book was interrupted, but he  
could snatch a short extract, and turn  
it over in his mind till the opportunity  
came for another look.

It was a hard way to pick up knowl-  
edge, yet the experience was helpful.  
He was known to say that if he had to  
begin life again, he should like to begin  
"in the same lowly style, and to pass  
through the same hard training."

One book may make a marked corner  
in our thinking, and the cotton-spinner  
turned such a corner in the reading of  
Doctor Dick's "Philosophy of a Future  
State."

When he was twenty-one David was  
stirred by an appeal for mission-  
ary workers in China, and he re-  
solved to give himself to the work  
of preparation for mission service.  
In Glasgow, poor and needy, but reso-  
lute and plucky, the young man pushed  
his preparatory studies.

Then he went to live with the Rev.  
Richard Cecil, at Ongar, where mission-  
ary students were sent to the London

Missionary Society to stand, if they  
could, a three months' trial, and if they  
were successful, they went on to  
another grade of studies.

It will interest all who are trying to  
push forward to know that Livingstone  
was not ranked here as a success. He  
attempted to preach. He was very  
successful in giving out the text, but—  
but he could give nothing else. His  
miserably stuck just there. He ex-  
claimed:

"Friends, I have forgotten all I have  
to say."

Out of the pulpit and out of the  
chapel he went. Livingstone was judged,  
at the closing of the three months, to  
be a failure. Somebody, though, in  
power, wanted to give him another  
chance. He tried again, and was ac-  
cepted.

In the winter of 1840 he sailed for  
Africa. With Livingstone went, as a  
passenger in the same vessel, the old,  
resolute, self-denying, self-sacrificing  
will. Like a romance reads the story  
of his travels, opening up new river  
and lake regions, making discoveries  
that have put a crown of laurel about  
his brow.

One of the great men of this country,  
the body that his loyal servants carried  
month after month through Africa to  
the sea, was laid down to its honored  
rest in Westminster Abbey in 1874.

Like stars to light the way of every  
struggling boy, are Livingstone's words:  
"Fear God and work hard," to be  
willing also, "to go anywhere, provided  
it be forward."—Rev. Edward A. Barn-  
in Golden Days.

## THE HOME PHYSICIAN.

How to TREAT BRUISES.—The  
Prairie Farmer says: To prevent the  
skin from discoloring after a blow or  
fall, take a little dry starch or arrow-  
root, and merely moisten it with a  
water, and lay it on the injured part.  
This must be done immediately, so as  
to prevent the action of the air upon  
the skin. However, it may be applied  
some hours afterwards with effect.

THE MOST SUBTLE ENEMY TO HEALTH.  
—Speaking of the commonly-assumed  
danger arising from the offensive gases  
inhaled from street sewers, the London  
Times, in a long article on the subject,  
declares the high probability of the fact  
that those sewer gases, which are the most  
offensive to the nose are, in fact, the  
least likely to be deleterious, if only on  
account of the haste which is made to  
escape from them, and of the impos-  
sibility of their presence being unper-  
ceived. The most subtle enemy to  
health, it thinks, whether at home or at  
the seaside, is to be found in the oft-  
times cherished presence of what it  
comprehensively terms "household dirt,"  
that which may be wiped from the  
walls, swept from the furniture, beaten  
from the carpets, etc.

TEA-LEAVES FOR BURNS AND SCALDS.  
—Dr. Searies, of Wausau, Wis., writes  
thus to the Chicago Medical Exam-  
iner: "Some few years since I accidentally  
found that a poultice of tea-leaves, ap-  
plied to small burns and scalds, af-  
forded immediate relief, and I deter-  
mined to give it a more extensive trial  
when opportunity should present, which  
soon occurred. It was in the case of a  
child 16 months old. Upon examina-  
tion I found the anterior portion of the  
body, arms, and legs blistered and  
deeply burned from a kettle of hot  
water which the child had upset upon  
itself. The case, to say the least, was  
unfavorable for the success of any  
remedy. I prepared a large poultice,  
softened the leaves with hot water, and,  
while quite warm, applied it upon cot-  
ton wool, over the entire burned sur-  
face. Almost like magic the suffering  
abated, and without the use of any other  
anodyne, the child soon fell into a quiet  
sleep, and in a few hours I removed the  
application, and resplashed it where it  
colored and apparently lamed. The  
acute sensibility and tenderness had  
nearly disappeared, and the little pa-  
tient passed through the second and  
third stages under far more favorable  
circumstances (symptoms) than was at  
first anticipated, making a recovery in  
about two weeks! Since then, on sev-  
eral occasions, I have had reason to  
recommend tea-leaves, till now I have  
come to prefer it above all other reme-  
dies in the first stage of burns and  
scalds. I think it must recommend  
itself to the profession, not only on ac-  
count of its intrinsic value, but also  
by reason of its great convenience, be-  
ing so readily obtained."

Thank God for That Disaster.  
The disposition of some men to look  
on the bright side of everything was il-  
lustrated on a far Western road the  
other day. An old gentleman had been  
an attentive listener to the somewhat  
remarkable experiences of his fellow-  
travelers, breaking into the culmination  
of each anecdote with a pious ejacula-  
tion of praise for some redeeming in-  
cident in the subject under discussion.  
Finally they got to setting it up on the  
man, and telling stories in which it was  
hard for him to find anything to be  
grateful for. But he managed to get  
there each trip, until the boys were  
nearly at their wit's ends.

But one of the worst I ever heard  
of, commenced one, winking at his  
companions to look for a smasher.  
"Really the worst was on the Savan-  
nah and Penacola road in 1852. We  
ran into a coal train, and not a soul es-  
caped. No, not a soul! Every one was  
killed!"

There was a moment's pause, and  
every one looked at the old man to see  
how he would take it.

"Thank God!" he exclaimed fervent-  
ly. "Thank God!"

"What for?" demanded the relator  
of the story. "What are you thanking  
God for now?"

"To think you were killed on that  
train," ejaculated the old gentleman,  
rolling up his eyes. "If you had been  
before you reached your present age!  
Thank God for that disaster!"

And after that they let him alone, for  
he was an old man, and they knew he  
meant no harm.—Drake's Traveler's  
Magazine.

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